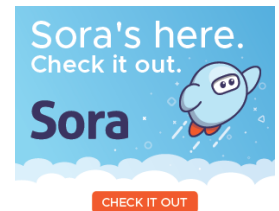




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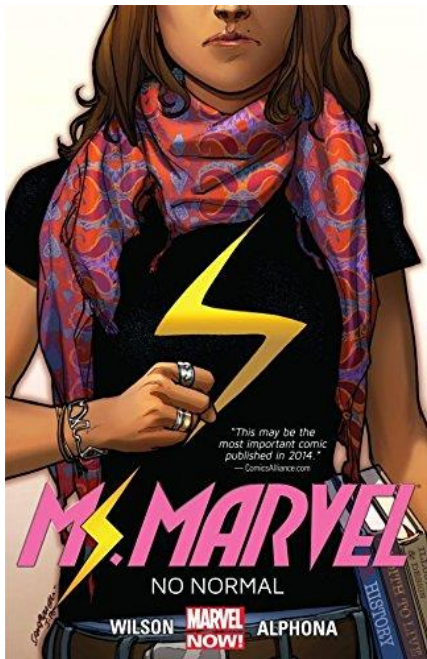


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Encourage your child to read for 10 minutes every day. It can be a book, magazine, comic, newspaper, or blog. Reading for 10 minutes every day is proven to help improve literacy levels, relax and unwind, improve memory and concentration and importantly help with our mental health and wellbeing!

BOOK REVIEW

Ms Marvel Vol 1 – G Willow Wilson



Fantasy/Science Fiction/Comics and Graphic Novels/Superhero's

Age 12 +

Marvel Comics presents the new Ms. Marvel, the ground-breaking heroine that has become an international sensation!

Kamala Khan is an ordinary girl from Jersey City — until she's suddenly empowered with extraordinary gifts. But who truly is the new Ms. Marvel? Teenager? Muslim? Inhuman? Find out as she takes the Marvel Universe by storm! When Kamala discovers the dangers of her newfound powers, she unlocks a secret behind them, as well. Is Kamala ready to wield these immense new gifts? Or will the weight of the legacy before her be too much to bear? Kamala has no idea, either. But she's coming' for you, Jersey!

NB You can loan this graphic novel and other great titles now free on the new school E book library Sora. You won't have to reserve as there are multiple copies available until 31st July.

This Weeks Activity –2020 Time Capsule!!

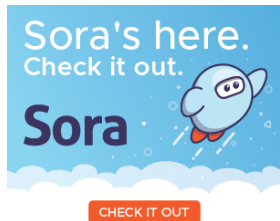
This is great and suitable for any age!! The National Literacy Trust have set up an activity to create a 'Time Capsule' and we are living through history right now. Encourage your child to complete these literacy-themed time capsule activities and create a bank of memories of the 2020 lockdown to look back on in the future. They'll be improving their literacy skills in the process. Click [here](#) to access the activity sheet.



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Great websites and Information

- Generate a handwashing poster to match your favourite song [here](#) for your home or workplace to help kids wash their hands properly and have fun at the same time!
- Sora - Crompton House have provided our students with access to a fabulous online library where you can read over 2000 titles 24/7 free! For an overview of the app click [here](#)
- The Oldham Online Summer Engagement Programme via The Rio Ferdinand Foundation is providing young people between ages of 13-25 the opportunity to access online digital and personal development workshops. Click [here](#) to find out more and register.



Competitions – Stabilo Seeks Unsung Hero's!

Stabilo via First News have launched a competition to recognize local heroes. To enter write a letter, poem or a rap about a local hero who has helped you or someone you know during lockdown. It could be a family member, teacher, keyworker. You can win a bundle of Stabilo goodies and a class pack for your classmates. You can find out more information on how to enter [here](#). Many of you have already written great poems about Keyworkers recently for the CHS competition. **Deadline is 10th July, so you'll have to be quick!**



Share Your Creations with me - Mrs. Cullen!

This newsletter is not homework it is simply to give you guidance, ideas and fun activities to share with your children and for yourselves during this difficult time. If, however you would like to share a book review, activities, artistic creations or any other literacy related ideas, I would love to see them. I would like to create a **'When We Stayed at Home'** display in the school library so that soon, we can all look back on this period with a smile for all the positive things our students and children are doing.

You can contact/tweet me and email reviews etc. on the details below. Happy reading and take care!

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